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25 pieces Brown Twill Crash go at 3c a 25 pieces all Linen Check Glass Cloth go

at 5c a yard. 35 dozen all Linen Huck Towels go at 54-inch Cream Damask at 21c a yard. ch Cream Damask at 39c a yard. ch Bleach Damask at 50c a yard. ch Heavy Bleach Damask at 75c

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PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.

Mrs. A. F. Praghm is visiting at Mar-Miss Katherine Lemcke will go to Evansville next week to visit friends. Miss Fannie Fugate will go to Grand Rapids next week to spend a month. Mrs. J. A. Coleman will go to Martins ville next week for a two weeks' visit. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Perkins and sons will leave Saturday for Toledo, O. Miss Lizzie Blackmore, of Baltimore, is the guest this week of Miss Caroline How-

John C. Ingram and family, of No. 345 Park avenue, left this morning for Wa-Mrs. W. P. Bingham and daughter Edith will go to Chicago Saturday to visit Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Coke Alexander will enter-Mr. Artnur Sterling Auchinelos, Orange, N. J., is the guest of Mrs. T. A

Lewis and family. Mrs. M. M. Landis and daughter, Miss Lake City Sunday.

Miss Belle Adler, who has been visiting in Henderson Ky., has returned home, accompanied by Miss Clara Lauchheim, Miss Nellie Whitcomb left yesterday for thicago, and from there will go to Lake faxinkuckee for a six weeks' trip. Misses Jennie and Lizzie Thompson are expected home soon from Saratoga Springs,

ong Branch and Washington City. Mrs. Ovid Butler Jameson will leave the ast of the month for Conanicut, L. I., pend the remainder of the summer. Mrs. Fox was hostess yesterday afterstreet, for the ladles of the Chapel Club,

Mrs. Thomas Winterowd will give a pic-nic this afternoon, at Broad Ripple, for Mrs. Schiff, who is the guest of Mrs. W. P. Dr. Thomas Eastmen left, yesterday, for New York, to continue his studies. He will ake a post graduate course in one of the

Misses Katherine Walcott and Virginia Keep will go to Madison on Saturday, where they will be the guests of Mrs. A.

The marriage of Miss Maud A. Reid and Mr. O. H. Paige, of Detroit, will take place at the First Baptist Church this morning Mr. and Mrs. F. F. McCrea and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Allison and famly will leave soon to spend a few weeks

Mrs. Henry Wallace will give a break party Friday evening in honor of Mrs. N. A. Gladding, of Memphis, and Mrs. Anderon, of Florida.

Mrs. Arthur Duell Gates will give a ption this afternoon from 5 until 7 in nor of her sister, Mrs. N. A. Gladding. nohis, Tenn Mr. A. Kiefer and family and Mr. Chas, Mayer and family, who have been spending some time at Fisher's Island, will go to liagara Falls next week for the remainder

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Melish, of Clifon. O., have announced the engagement of their daughter. Miss May, to Mr. B. F. Harris, jr., of Champaign, Ill. Miss Melish visited Miss Lucy Holliday last winter. There will be a lawn fete given by the ung ladies of the Fourth Presbyterian surch, for the benefit of the music fund,

n Friday evening, at the residence of Miss Grace Foster, 702 North Alabama Misses Julia and Deborah Moore were esses yesterday morning for the nd of a series of porch parties.

married and young lady friends. To-night they will entertain a number of young men ad women with a porch party. among those who will go abroad soon are H. E. Mathews, who sails on July 20, Liverpool; John Black and William will sail on the Anchorla, July 27, for tow; Samuel L. Look and Jesse Fletchn the St. Louis, for London, Aug. 7; Darmard will sail on the Lucania.

E. Barnard will sall on the Lucania, for Liverpool, Aug. 27. The young ladies and gentlemen who took n the recent presentation of the drama, for the benefit of the First

inglish Lutheran Church, will be tendered reception by the ladies of the committee On arrangements, at the residence of Mrs. Charles A. Holland, No. 573 Park avenue, Tuesday evening, July 23. chiff, of Chattanooga, who is her guest. he rooms were decorated with palms and

Mr. Henry D. Porterfield and Miss Ida Anderson were married at the home of the bride, No. 71 Cornell avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Dashiell, who is filling the pulpit of the Central-avenue M. E. Church. The couple left for Baltimore and New York at 2:45 o'clock, to be gone about two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Porterfield will be at home at No. 11 Vine street after Aug. 6.

Mrs. Ovid B. Jameson gave a dinner of twelve covers last evening. It was in honor of Mr. Jameson's birthday, and in the nature of a surprise. The house was decorated throughout with flowers. In the parlor were k roses and illies, the smoking room and rary were in red carnations. In the g room American Beauty roses were

nd this room was lighted entirely les. In the center of the table was a bowl filled with American Beauty en an American Beauty rose and a box of bon-bons as a favor. The guests included De. and Mrs. Jameson, Miss Lucy Jameson, Mrs. Willam Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Carstensen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wallace, Mr. John Duncan and Mr. Nathan Morris. BINKLEY-COOK.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal,

GREENCASTLE, Ind., July 17 .- Miss Myin Cook, of this city, and Mr. Harry A. sinkley, of Tipton, were married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Cook, in this city, this morning, at 10:20 o'clock. Elder A. H. Morris per-forming the ceremony. Miss Blanche Wal-ton, of Lafayette, was bridesmaid. The ouple left at noon for a tour of the East.

after which they will reside in Tipton.

Those from a distance were Dr. L. D. Watrman, Mrs. Gray and daughter, of In-lanapolis; Miss Clara Ewing, of Ottawa, an.; Mr. Henry and Miss Clara Binkley.

• HAMMOND-WILSHIRE. MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 17 .- Judge E. S. mmond, of the United States District Court for the Western district of Tennessee, was married at St. Mary's Episcopal



hurch, this morning, to Mrs. Margaret of Tennessee. United States District Judge Charles D. Clark, of Chattanooga, acted as best man, and the bride was given away by United States Senator-elect E. C. Wal-thal, of Mississippi. The bride is a hand-some lady on the sunny side of forty, and has achieved a reputation as a teacher of elocution. The church was crowded with

SHE NEVER SAW THEM

HOLMES'S WIFE DENIES BEING WITH THE PIETZEL CHILDREN.

She Left This City for Philadelphia Last Night-Declines to Discuss the Toronto Case.

A blonde-haired woman with gray eyes Fine Pattern Cloths-2 yards square, for | and a peachy complexion stepped from the J., M. & I. train at the Union Station at 5:50 o'clock yesterday evening. She wore a dark turban hat with a smart feather and a tailor-made suit of dark green cloth She carried a small valise and a silk um brella. Her air was one of perfect selfpossession and confidence. Inquiring of a gateman the way to the ladies' waiting room she pushed through the crowd to that apartment and selected a seat furthest from the entrance. The wcman was Mrs. Georgianna Howard, wife of the notorious insurance swindler, H. H. Howard, alias Holmes, the murderer of the three Pietzel children, Mrs. Howard appears to be about twenty-eight years of age and is as shrewd as she is good looking. Her husband, Howard, or Holmes, is in prison at Philadelphia serving a senience for conspiracy. She was on her way to Philadelphia from her home at Franklin, having been summoned by telegram from the district attorney. She left for the East at 7 o'clock last night and the hour spent at the Union Station was devoted to the pastime of dodging newspaper reporters and maintaining discreet silence concerning her husband's

Mrs. Howard left her home at Franklin yesterday afternoon with the avowed in tention of eluding interviewers if the thing was possible. For a time after she took a seat in the ladies' waiting room she watched the door furtively, but grew very uneasy growd, for the retail merchants and their as the time passed, and finally withdrew to the little lobby which is curtained off from the main apartment. She looked up with a frown at the intrusion of a reporter, and then settled back with an air of resig-

"Yes, I am Mrs. Howard," she said, response to an inquiry. "There is nothing to say about my husband's difficulties. At east, I have nothing to say about them. I ion't know very much about this matter. and all that I could say has been said by my mother in another interview. I am on my way to Philadelphia. When I left there in June-about the 10th of the month-it was the understanding that I should return whenever the district attorney sent for me. That explains my presence here." "Is it true, Mrs. Howarl, that you were in Indianapolis last September with Howard and the Pietzel children?" she was asked. "I was here with my husband part o those children, and I didn't know that they were in existence. I didn't know that Piel sel had a family, and I never saw him but once. That was in January, 1894, when went with my husband to Fort Worth Tex. My husband was building a business block and Pietzel was working on it. I had never seen him before and he went under another name there. You may think it strange that those children should be here with my husband-if they were-and I ot know it. But there is nothing so singular about that when you come to think of it. You see children on the street every day and in the hotels. You see them everywhere, and it does not occur to you to ask who they are or to whom they belong. know nothing at all abut those children. Mrs. Howard was asked if it was true that she would show that her husband was not in Toronto at the time the children were murdered. She declined to make any statement on that subject and again referred the reporter to a recently published interview with her mother. She was asked as to the report that Howard had two other wives living when he married her. "I don't want to discuss that either," she replied with P show of impatience. "I don't know anything about it. I know that I was married to Mr. Howard in January, 1894, and went to Fort Worth, Tex., to live. There is where I met Pietzel, and the only time. I don't see why you want to talk to me about something that the public does not care about. At least it looks so to me, for I have heard so much of all this that have grown sick and tired of it. I imagin that the public looks at it the same way. "Do you know where your husband gets the name of Holmes?" Mrs. Howard was

"No. I don't know anything about it she returned "Do you intend to remain loyal to Howard through all of this trouble? "I think that is a most personal que tion, and certainly a very pointed one. say now, as I said a moment ago, that have nothing else to say. I can't answer

HOLMES'S FIRST SWINDLES. He Tried the Cadaver Insurance Game

While a Medical Student. The adventures of Henry H. Holmes will go down in police history as a series of the | the ground during the day. most daring and atrocious crimes ever brought to their notice. So far as the police have gathered Holmes was born in Burling ton, Vt., and lived on a farm until fifteen

years of age, when he became a school-Mrs. W. P. Benton gave an informal com- teacher and afterwards went to an academy in his native town, paying for his tuition by working during vacations. At sixteen he was married to a young girl sixteen he was married to a young given to see which one could form the eatest number of words from that word.

Kelsey was the successful contestant of received the prize.

Sixteen he was married to a young given the second to see which one could form the now living with a fifteen-year-old son.

After he had been graduated from the academy he went to Michigan, where he After he had been graduated from the academy he went to Michigan, where he entered a medical college and became ac quainted with another student, who is the an, he claims, who furnished him with the body used in his first insurance swindle The two worked on a farm during vacation time to pay for their course in college. One summer they were unsuccessful and his friend. Holmes claimed, conceived the

dea of defrauding an insurance company They perfected a plan and the other young man had his life insured for \$2,500 in the Fidelity Insurance Company, of Boston. A dead body was secured in Chicago and taken East, where they successfully worked a scheme very similar to the Pietzel case. The success of the plan encouraged Holmes to such an extent that after he had finished his studies he decided to work a scheme of his own. Upon this occasion he had his life insured for \$20,000 and went to a town in vermont, where he registered at a prominent hotel. and at each end candelabras with everything was ready, however, his wife andles and shades. Each guest was and her mother, who knew of the conspiracy, threatened to expose him, so abandoned the scheme.

With his wife he then went to Chicago and had been there but a short time when he made the acquaintance of Miss Mamie Williams, of Fort Worth, Tex., who was a typewriter. Mamie became infatuated with Holmes and he furnished a house for her, where she lived as his wife. The girl, however, had an older sister for whom Holmes took a fancy, and Mamie, in a fit jealousy. one day picked up a stool and brained her rival. When Holmes came to the house that night he found the elder sister dead, and to shield the murderers, he put the body in a trunk and, weighting it with stones, buried it in Lake Michigan. The murderess, who owned

Fort Worth valued at \$40,000, soon after this and the property passed into the hands of Holmes. He claimed that he gave his mistress an equivalent in mon for the property, so she might escape to England, but this story is discredited. The police, not only of Philadelphia, but of Chicago, bave made every effort to trace her, but without success. It is believed that Holmes killed his mistress to get her property and disposed of the body in a manner sindlar to that of her sister. Meanwhile Holmes and Pietzel, who had me together in Chicago, joined forces, The two began operations in Texas, for which they are now wanted. They made a tour of the States buying horses on worthless notes and for a while they were quite successful. The authorities, however, soon sized up their game and the two were compelled to flee to save themselves. They returned to Chicago, where the pobefore they could catch him he had disappeared again.

Holmes Thinks He May Swing. PHILADELPHIA, July 17.-H. Holmes, alias Herman Mudgetts, has virtually confessed to the murder of the two !

The Pletzel insurance swindle was then

hatched, the details of which have been

Pietzel children, whose bodies were found in the cellar of a Toronto house. It was learned at the office of the district attorney during the two hours' interview. Hoimes had yesterday said: "I suppose I'll swing for this." This is the only remark dropped from Holmes's lips which in any would tend to criminate him, and the listrict attorney takes this as a practical admission of Holmes's guilt. Notwith-standing Holmes's remark, his counsel says he can prove an alibi in his client's case. He says that Holmes was not in Toronto when the Pietzel children were murdered. This, he says, can be proved by Mrs. Howard, Holmes's third wife, who is at present living with her mother, in Franklin, Ind. The authorities place but little credence in the allbi story, and are satisfied Holmes is the murderer.

Will Be Taken to Toronto. TORONTO, Ont., July 17 .- A further search of the premises where the bodies of the two Pietzel children were found will be made in hopes of finding the missing boy, Howard, aged nine, although the detectives are satisfied he was murdered and cremated at Detroit. After the conclusion of the inquest, at which a verdict of mur-der will undoubtedly be returned against Holmes, detective Geyer will so to Phila-delphia with a warrant issued by the Ca-nadian authorities and a demand for his extradition will be made.

DELIVERY NAGS RACE

A NOVEL FEATURE AT THE RETAIL MERCHANTS' PICNIC.

First Quarter in One Minute and the Crowd Held Its Breath-Bleycle Races.

The retail merchants' picnic at the fair grounds yesterday was a great success, both as to the size of the crowd and the interest shown in the events of the day. Many thousand people were on the grounds. The sporting events took place during the afterfloon and at night there was dancing until after 10 o'clock. "Reuben Glue," the familiar figure at the ball park, had the refreshments privilege and barrels of emonade, gallons of soda pop and bushels of peanuts and pop corn were sold to those "who had money to throw away." "Reuben," with his broad brim hat and red shirt was one of the foremost figures of the crowd. Not the least of trouble arose to mar the pleasure of the day. It was an orderly tried to make purchases during the day from the corner grocery no doubt realized that something was up, for nearly every store in town was closed. There were a number of side show attractions on the grounds. The merry-go-round did not run, double swings. There were other attractions, however. The snake charmer of hesapeake street, presumably from South Africa, attracted many. The dancing floor of the pavilion was kept warm during the day by persons who would rather dance than see a greased pig caught or a bicycle race run. All the events were open and for each there many contestants. greased pig was given a merry chase. The baby show was a drawing card, as were the diffierent voting contests.

Most interest centered, however, in the track events which began shortly after 2

of the day. Only horses used in delivery wagons were allowed to enter. Several retail merchants attempted to get in with blooded animals, but the owners of the bonafide delivery nags objected. At the word "go," thirteen assorted animals shot from the scratch. It was a standing start Most of the horses were hitched to roa In a second's time only a clo f dust could be seen down the first quarter. Trailing in the rear of the bunch was a speckled mare, between twenty and twentyfive years of age. In the lead was an ol Roman-nosed animal. The first quarter was made in one minute and the audience held its breath. The half was passed. Th Roman-nosed nag was first with the opeckled nag a bad last. In another mi ute the three-quarters was reached and the audience arose to its feet. Down stretch the delivery horses came. Oh Roman nose was first, but at the finish the old speckled forse seemed to get in him self the old time fire, and he passed the tween four and five minutes.

bunch, finishing a good second. Time be The ladies' bicycle race brought fortl cheers. The two contestants wore bloom ers. Miss Ethel Powell won with ease Miss Jessie Hamphill rode a man's wheel and the seat was too high for her. There was a fat man's race, which was won by Harry Buschmann, the young man who didn't beat Martin Hogan, the ball player, on Tuesday. Buschmann was pushed rather hard until the finish, when he made spurt and passed the field. The distance was one hundred yards and the time four-teen seconds. The open bicycle races were not very successful. The crowd was not quite sure about them being genuine races, for all the finishes were on the sensational mile, but Bonfield won easily.

order. Bonfield beat Aker in the mile open, and Aker won from Bonfield in the two-mile. Then there was some betting that Aker would win from Bonfield in the five-There were several boys' races, retail clerks' races, proprietors' races, sack races, three-legged races, and all kinds of races. There was a balloon ascension and the band played all the day. Last night it was estimated that five thousand people visited

AMUSEMENTS.

Wildwood Wrecked and Rebuilt in Another large crowd, within a few hun-dred of the big attendance at Wildwood the letter, and now says that the Derringer on Tuesday night, saw the "Pinafore" performance last night. No one was able to detect any change in the appearance of things under the big canvas, yet everything at Wildwood, except the stage building, was flat on the ground as late as 1 Jelock in the afternoon yesterday. Early yesterday morning people passing Wildwood Park saw the big tent flapping in the gale with many of the guy ropes broken and snapping like whips. The chairs were blown in all directions and only the main stays of the tent held it in place. The electric lighting system was paralyzed and when some of the Wildwood management arrived at the park they saw the wreck of their auditorium. Great rents in the canvas were increasing with every blow and the only thing to be done was to order the 1,400 chairs taken out and tent lowered for repairs. The storm conventing any ordinary force of men from reraising the tent. It began to look as if the night performance would have to be declared off or given with no protection for the crowd. The advance sale at the Big Four ticket office indicated that another big crowd would attend at night and it was determined to put up the tent the afternoon if enough men could be und to raise it. Fortunately the gale subsided and by 4 o'clock the canvas. repaired and strong as ever, stretched above the auditorium. During the storm the box rails had also been ripped out and the tables floated away as if tied to gas bags. However, before the gates were thrown open for the night show, everything was back in its place and those attending never guessed what a scene of wreckage the auditorium had presented only a few hours before. Last night's crowd was inclined furlously demonstrative at times an no less than a dozen encores were calle for during the evening. The great popularity of "Pinafore," exceeding even the expectations of the Wildwood people, has led some to suggest that the run be continu nto next week, but such is not possible Those desiring to witness the very excelle revival of this opera will not have an opare contracted for next week.

The Elevator Scalped Him.

Henry Emmelman, living at No. 27 Smithson street, was seriously injured at the wholesale house of J. L. Moore, on South Meridian street, yesterday. He is employe there, and at the time of the accident h was leaning over the elevator guard looking down the shaft. The descending elevator pinned his head to the guard, tearing his scalp from his skull. He was removed to his home, and it is thought he will recover.

Encampment Supplies. Quartermaster-general Compton yester day awarded the contract for furnishing groceries to the militia during the encampment to Schnull & Co. The meat will be furnished by William Beck, and the potatoes and other vegetables by James L.

Expert tile setters, Jno. M. Lilly,

ROBY'S KNELL IS RUNG

JUDGE GILLETT DELIVERS A KNOCK-

OUT TO THE RACING PEOPLE.

Hon. George A. Knight, of Brazil. Shoots County Clerk Wherle, Taking Him for a Burglar.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. HAMMOND, Ind., July 17 .- The last round in the Roby race track case was fought in the Circuit Court at Crown Point to-day, and resulted in Judge Gillette giving the association a complete knock-out. When the case was called this morning Attorney-general W. A. Ketcham was present, with Governor Claude Matthews's autograph attached to the information on which the temporary injunction was granted June 24, and the paper was refiled and made a part of the records.

Attorney J. B. Peterson, on behalf of the Roby Fair Association, asked to have the injunction modified so as to allow the association to hold another fifteen days' meeting this year, but the court could not see it that way, and overfuled the motion. The defendants filed a number of affidavits of Lake county leading citizens to show that the place was not a nuisance, and that it was run in an orderly manner, but they had no bearing with the court. One hour was given to each side for argument on the case, and at 2:30 o'clock Judge Gillette delivered his knock-out blow straight from the shoulder. The opinion was given orally, and in the beginning he said:
"This is not the place to consider the morals of the track. This is the bench, and not the pulpit. What the court is here for is to render its decision according to the

The opinion covered all the points of the case, and was against the association on every point. An appeal to the Supreme Court was granted, and sixty days given to perfect the change. The decision was a surprise to many of the citizens of this place, who were counting on another meeting this year. Nothing definite as to the future plans of the association could be learned this evening. There is a well-founded rumor that the Roby Breeders' Association will build another track immediately, and that even a third is contemplated by the Hammond Fair Association. The location of the new track, should there be one built, has not been given out, but it will probably be within the limits of this city.

TAKEN FOR A BURGLAR.

Hon. George A. Knight, of Brazil. Shoots County Clerk Jack Wherle.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal BRAZIL, Ind., July 17 .- County Clerk Jack Wherle was shot and seriously wounded last night by Hon. George A. Knight, one of the best known attorneys in this part of the State. Mr. Knight was looking for a burglar and shot Mr. Wherle by mistake. The men are neighbors and have been friends for years.

Mr. Knight, with David Kahn and wife. of Indianapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kerfoot were seated in the sitting room at his home about 10:30 o'clock, when some one was heard walking in Mr. Knight's room upstairs. Mr. Kahn, thinking it was his little daughter, called to her, but re-ceived no reply. Concluding it was a burglar, Mr. Kahn and Mr. Knight went up the front stairway, while Gordon Kerfoot guarded the rear stairs. After searchin the house they went out in the yard, and as they were approaching the rear end of the building, where the sidewalk on the east is obscured by a massive grape arbor, they heard some one close the gate. Seeing a retreating form of a man, Mr. Knight called for him to halt, and on receiving no reply, fired. The man gave a cry of pain, threw up his hands and fell. When Mr. Knight and his friends came up they saw it was County Clerk Jack Wherle. The builet passed almost through his body in the region of the stomach. On realizing whom he nad wounded Mr. Knight was almost overcome with grief. Medical aid was quickly summoned and everything in the power of the physicians is being done to save Mr. Wherle. While his injuries are extremely serious, hopes are entertained of his recovery. The injured man is very popular, having been elected in 1894 county clerk by the Democrats. Mr. Wherle's residence is just south of Mr. Knight's home, and this was his usual way of going home. Mr Knight's gate was standing open, and the injured man thoughtlessly closed it just as Mr. Knight and his friends came out hunting for the supposed burglar.

A CASE FOR THE EXPERTS. Dollie Belknap's Girl Friends or Trial as Her Alleged Accomplice.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SEYMOUR, Ind., July 17.-The trial of Josie Derringer, as an accomplice of Dollie Belknap, in the poisoning of Fleming Sarver and wife, continued until midnight last night in Uniontown. At that hour, owing to the absence of a number of witnesses, the case was continued until this afternoon. A warrant has also been issued for the arrest of Dottie Derringer, a younger sister, on

The testimony so far introduced at the preliminary trial does not in the least implicate Hays Robins, the alleged lover of Miss Belknap, whose name has been con-nected with the sad affair. Far as it is known none of the girls was personally acquainted with him. The letter bearing his signature and advising Dollie to do away with her foster parents was delivered to Dollie by Josie Derringer. The murdersigned by the names of young men of the neighborhood. Young Robins's parents live and it is claimed by friends that he never saw the Belknap girl in his life. Dollie is but thirteen years old. Her mother died six years ago and her stepfather wanted to take her to the poorhouse. Mrs. Sarver, not having any children, took pity on the girl and adopted her, since which time she has been as one of the family. The neighbors say that the girl was dishonest. She afterwards ran away from home. Mr. ver followed her and promised her that it she would be a good girl and not run of any more he would will her all of his property. Twenty minutes before he died was taken into his presence, where she begged piteously for forgiveness, saying that she did not intend to kill him. Mr. Sarver placed his hands upon her head and said: "Dollie, if God can forgive you I can." These were his last words.

The girl took all of her books and playthings with her to jail, and does not seem to realize the enormity of the crime committed. Mr. Sarver was buried yesterday eyening and the funeral was one of the largest ever held in that section of the country. The trial of the Derringer girls will not be completed until to-morrow.

TREE FELL ON THE TRAIN. Accident on Hig Four During the Heavy Windstorm.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. INGALLS, Ind., July 17 .- Between here and Fortville Big Four train No. 22, conductor J. K. Hendrix, during the windstorm that prevailed this morning ran into the end of a tree that had blown across the track. The engineer saw the tree fall, and stopped his train after all the windows on one side of the smoker were broken. No one was injured, though there were several narrow scapes.

Lightning Struck in Many Places. Special to the Indianapoils Journal.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., July 17 .- The mos severe electrical storm in many years visited this section early this morning, accompanied by rain and wind. Edward Carson, a farmer, residing seven miles from here, was struck by lightning while asleep and will probably die. He is thirty-eight years old and married. The barn on the farm of O. C. Stoughton was burned, with grain and two horses. Four horses belonging to a farmer named Dunkle were killed. The chimneys of several residences in Logansport were struck, as well as several stables, but no serious damage done. A chimney was knocked off the High School building, and the new cement steps of Michael's business college damaged. Many trees were blown down.

Blessing to the Corn.

trees. Herman Goff, a farmer, three niles east of Frankfort, had four cows and two horses killed by lightning. The stock was hudddled together near a barbed wire fence, and lightning struck the wire,

Little Damage and Much Good. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ELWOOD, Ind., July 17 .- A severe wind and rainstorm took place here at an early nour this morning. Some little damage was

done in the rural districts, fencing and timber being blown down and small buildings unroofed. The corn crop has been saved by this rain, as corn was suffering from the drought, and in a few more days a short crop would have been the inevitable

Burned Out Telephones. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WABASH, Ind., July 17 .- A violent electrical storm struck this city at 4 o'clock this morning. The lightning was vivid and almost continuous for nearly an hour. The telephone exchange switchboard was burned out, and a residence on the En-gleman farm, two miles south, was struck by lightning and damaged. No one was inured. The corn crop is saved by this down-

Almost a Cyclone. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. NOBLESVILLE, Ind., July 17 .- A high wind prevailed from about midnight till o'clock this morning, amounting almost to a cyclone. Apples, pears and plums were blown from the trees in great quantities and corn was blown down and badly damaged. A severe electric storm accompanied the wind, but the rainfall was slight.

THE SCALE REPUDIATED. Miners Vote Against the 51-Cent Agreement.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 17 .- Enough returns have been received from the vote of the Indiana miners to make certain that they have repudiated the scale agreement adopted here last week by their delegates and the operators. The voting is far short of the membership. In one instance, where there are nearly three hundred miners, the total vote was thirty-nine, and of these twenty-three voted against the action of their delegates. The latter, it may be said, were nearly all new men. The miners are suspicious, and have little confidence in their delegates. They think their represen-tatives have been tricked when they don't secure all they ask. The result of an adverse vote will mean the closing of the mines for a time and then a new attempt later on to reach an agreement.

Miners Want a Majority Vote. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

EAGLE, Ind., July 17.-At a meeting of the miners at this place last night it was on at Terre Haute, on the 12th inst. unless accepted at a majority of the mines in the State. In the event that a majority accept they will resume work here on the 18th inst. The miners are all peaceable and no indications whatever of any

GATHERING OF SPIRITUALISTS. Annual State Encampment at Anderson Opens To-Day.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ANDERSON, Ind., July 17.-The fifth annual State meeting of the State Association of Spiritualists will begin its session at the camp grounds, four miles east of this city in the morning. The meeting will continue through July and until Aug. 12. Many Spiritualists are already on the grounds, and the tents and cottages are nearly all occupied. It is expected that this will be the largest convention of Spiritualists ever held in the State, Prof. H. D. Barrett, president of the N. A. S., of Washington, will be present during most of the session. The meetings will be held each morning at 9 and 10:30 o'clock, and in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The evenings will be devoted to tests and seances The following speakers have been engaged E. W. Sprague, W. M. Lockwood, Mrs. A. H. Luther, Mrs. A. E. Thomas, W. R. Colby, Mrs. Josephine Ropp, A. Williams and Mrs. Mendinhall.

A PREHISTORIC FOREST. What Well Drillers Found 176 Feet Under Shelby County.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SHELBYVILLE, Ind., July 17.-While drilling a natural gas well north of this city, at a depth of 176 feet the drill struck what was evidently an old deadening or something of the kind, for almost an arm-load of wood of the hickory, walnut and pine varieties, with a pine burr of a year's growth, were brought up. The burr, like the wood, was in an excellent state of preservation, but on being exposed to the air and light turned black as coal. The country about the well is level for miles around

District Epworth Convention. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. DANVILLE, Ind., July 17 .- The Epworth

League convention of the Crawfordsville district closed to-night. Large delegations were here from Thorntown, Lebanon, Crawfordsville, Zionsville, Ladoga, Russellville, Haughville and North Indianapolis. The meeting last night was addressed by J. G. Campbell, of Thorntown, and Rev. E. W. Lawson, of Zionsville. Revs. H. L. Kindig, of Lebanon, and A. W. Wood, of Ladoga, reported on the international convention In to-day's programme all branches of league work were represented. State Sec retary H. L. Buer made the address. Officers elected: President, W. F. Taylor, Thorntown; vice presidents, Leah Clark, Toll Gate; Tully Crabbs, Crawfordsville; Lou Catterson, Traders' Point; Lillie Bayne, Danville; recording secretary, V. E. Wilson, Lebanon; treasurer, Myra Fordice, Russellville; corresponding secretary, Edna Kirkpatrick, New Richmond; Effie ohns, Haughville; D. V. Pittman, of Darlington. W. F. Taylor and Myra Fordice are delegates to State convention at Evansville. Dr. J. I. Coultas lectured to-

night on Epworth birthplace at Oxford. Bankers Protecting Depositors. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BLUFFTON, Ind., July 17.-The Wells County Board of Review will end its labors this week and will go down in history as having a very rough and stormy session. Monday, J. S. Gilliland and J. W. Goods year, cashiers of the Studebaker and Wells County Banks, were summoned before the board for the purpose of investigating the amounts of deposits to the credit of 464 taxpayers whose returns in many cases of personal property seemed too small. Neither of the bankers gave very definite answers and they were requested to produce such books as would enable them to derive the information, a right to which the board, by a recent decision, is entitled. They were given until this morning to throw open the books, but refused. The combined published reports of both banks show deposits amounting to about \$500,000, and of this amount scarcely 20 per cent. was returned for taxa-tion. The case will be turned over to the State Board of Review.

Gass Wells as Irrigators.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. KOKOMO, Ind., July 17 .- W. W. H. Wolf. a farmer of this county, has a plan to overcome the disastrous effects of the longcontinued drouth, which will no doubt be promptly adopted throughout the entire gas belt of Indiana, the method being simple, inexpensive and effective. On Mr. Wolf's farm, as is the case with nearly all the farms in the gas territory, is a "wet" gas well, from which flows a vast volume water, probably a million gallons daily. Up to this time the water ran off into the creek, but this week Mr. Wolf diverted it into a large ditch running through his farm, across the lower end of which he constructed a dam. As a result the ditch soon filled with water and overflowed the farm, giving the parched and famished veg-etation renewed life and vigor. This plan has benefited Mr. Wolf nearly \$1,000.

Monthly Beceipts of Prison South. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., July 17 .- In re

gard to the deficit existing at the end of

each month in the revenues of the State

Prison South, as reported in this morning's Journal, the correspondent to-day was given the following figures by clerk Ferufacturing Company \$3,000 per month is re-ceived, and from the Claggett Saddle-tree

months, making a great additional expense in addition to the loss of the Bromwell

Mrs. Edwards's Dinner Party. special to the Indianapolis Journal. BEDFORD, Ind., July 16 .- Mrs. H. H. Edwards to-day gave a large dinner party in honor of her mother, Mrs. R. M. Parks, who is celebrating her seventy-fifth birthday. Among the relatives who were present were Capt. John Alexander and wife and Mrs. Samuel Richards and daughter Marguerite, who, before she goes abroad, came to assist in her mother's anniver-sary and to join in the reunion of one of the oldest families in southern Indiana. Mrs. Hall, wife of Prof. C. H. Hall, of Franklin College, and daughter of Mrs. Parks, was unable to be present. The only

she had prepared for the occasion. Paoli to Have a Big Springs Hotel.

brother, Dr. R. M. Parks, jr., of Richmond

College, Kentucky, was also absent. Mrs.

Edwards, in her most happy manner, as she presided at her table, read a poem which

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. PAOLI, Ind., July 17 .- The new hotel to be erected at Paoli, Ind., by the Paoli Mineral Springs Company, has been started. The enterprise is in the hands of citizens of Paoll to develop the springs for which this locality is noted. The water is of the same character as that found at West Baden and French Lick. Several new springs beautifully located by the side of the river have been opened, all within a few minutes' walk from the hotel. In ad-dition to these improvements there will be an electric plant to supply the hotel and town. A new system of waterworks with the hydrants, reservoir and pumps, have recently been put in operation.

Paid for the Watermelons.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. GREENCASTLE, Ind., July 17 .- William Thompson, the restaurant keeper, in North Greencastle, whose store, he alleges, was relieved of watermelons and other articles on the night of July 4, and concerning which he made affidavit to the military authorities, that members of Company H, of Bloomington, took-his goods, has been reimbursed by receiving to-day the amount of his claim, \$5. The money came through the Adjutant-general, from the Bloomington company to Major W. H. H. Cullen, of this city, who took Mr. Thompson's re-celpt. The matter has caused considerable talk and newspaper warfare and is thus

Stabbing and Shooting Affray. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MONTICELLO, Ind., July 17.-In an aitercation at Brookston, yesterday, George Gassup shot Joseph Boyer with a revolver, the ball passing downward in the left shoulder. The wound is thought to be fatal. G.s-sup stabbed Boyer in the face with a pocket knife before the shooting. The men reside in Lafayette and were engaged digging a well near Brookston. Both had been drinking and were intoxicated at the time. A preliminary hearing before Justice Hay this morning resulted in Boyer being held to answer in the Circuit Court.

Grain Cradle Factory Sold. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ANDERSON, Ind., July 17 .- T. A. Fisher, of this city, who is one of the oldest manufacturers in the gas belt, closed a deal to-day, with Messrs. Lynn Faulkner, of seymour, and H. L. Hewitt, of Indianapolis, disposing of the grain cradle factory, one of the leading industries in the city. The products of this mill are widely sought after and have been shipped to almost every foreign country. The factory is closed to-day for invoice. When in full operation it gives employment to more than two hundred men.

Alleged Swindler Released on Bail. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WABASH, Ind., July 17 .- Herman Rahn, of Chicago, implicated in extensive lumber swindles on owners of sawmills in northern Indana, and who has been lying in jail here for several weeks, was released to-day on \$200 bond. Rahn is alleged to have bought lumber, had it shipped to him in Chicago and paid for it in checks which were worthless. He was arrested on information from North Manchester, but was acquitted. He denies his guilt and says he will pay every dollar.

Murdered and Robbed. FORT WAYNE, Ind., July 17 .- Harry Bowden, a Pennsylvania operator, was killed by tramps at Bucyrus, O., at 19:39 o'clock last night and his body placed on the tracks, where it was strack by an engine and decapitated. Bowden had received his monthly pay a few hours before the murder, and it is believed that the crime was committed for the purpose of robberya He was twenty-five years old and unmarried. His parents reside at Crestline where the remains will be taken for burial

Took Chloroform and Laudanum. Special to the Indianapolis Journal, JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., July 17.-Mary Tyler Jones, of this city, aged twentythree, attempted suicide to-day by swal-lowing an ounce of chloroform and laudanum. Dr. Arthur was summoned and worked with his patient several hours, but she is still in a critical condition. The attempt was caused by domestic troubles.

Pension Attorney Arrested. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ROCKPORT, Ind., July 17 .- Joseph F Griggs, a pension attorney, of this city, was arrested to-day by a United States district marshal and placed in the federal all at Evansville, charged with extortion of fees from a widow pensioner of Spencer

Captain Fee Now a Major. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. GREENCASTLE, Ind., July 17 .- Captain J. F. Fee, of Greencastle, has been appointed by Governor Matthews major of the First Battalion, First Regiment Infantry, I. N. G., to the vacancy caused by the resignation of Major H. P. Cornick.

Shoe Dealer Curtis Assigns. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 17 .- John J. Curtis, shoe dealer, has made an assignment. Assets, .\$3,000; liabilities, \$2,000. Indiana Deaths.

EDINBURG, Ind., July 17 .- Orlando Furnas, proprietor of the well-known Furnas flouring mills, died at his home last night at the age of fifty-nine. The funeral will take place from Pisgah M. E. Church tomorrow at 9 o'clock. The deceased was a Henry C. Price, an old citizen-soldler, died at his home in Edinburg yesterday, in the fifty-ninth year of his age. JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., July 17 .- Jas In Dunham, aged sixty-five, a veteran of the late war, died here this morning. He was born in Canada, but came to this city at an early age. He was badly wounded at the battle of Pea Ridge. He had suffered continuously since then until his death, and had submitted to two painful operations. A wife and one son survive him. MUNCIE, Ind., July 17.—Conrad Dipple, aged thirty-eight, died yesterday as the resuit of a surgical operation. David Eppard, aged eighty-seven, for many years a resident of Muncle, died yes-

Indiana Notes. Farmers in Carroll county expect the largest corn crop in years. The Mayor of Muncie has ordered all slot machines moved from the town. Samuel Cecil, a Delaware county man, sold fifty-six hogs for \$967.50 Tuesday. The wife of the editor of the Warsaw Times killed a snake on the streets in that Burglars stole three hundred dollars' worth of diamonds from William Sumption's residence in Muncie this week Government detective Baird and two others, whose names are not known, are at Elwood looking up evidence against coun-

assessment on city property from the amount returned by the assessors about \$2,000,000, which makes the total about the same as last year. Burglars entered the house of a pawn-broker at Hartford City, Tuesday night, and carried away gold watches, jewelry and revolvers valued at \$200. The revolvers were found outside yesterday morning.

The Terre Haute board reduced the tax

terfeiters.

About thirty county clerks will meet at Lake Maxinkuckee next Thursday for the purpose of agreeing on a uniform system of black books, legal blanks, etc. Their meeting will probably be held at the Lake View Hotel.

The Capital City Paving Company, doing the street paving at Frankfort, has another guson relating to the expenses and revelues of the prison: From the Patton Man-ployed Indianapolis negroes, and the men enues of the prison: From the Patton Man-ployed Indianapolis negroes, and the men enues of the prison: \$2.000 per month is restruck because the superintendent of the work discharged one of their number. Special to the Indianapelis Journal.

FRANKFORT, Ind., July 17.—A terrific revenue of \$4,400 per month, while the expenses are about \$5,500. Previous to the closing of the Bromwell Brush and Wire county early this morning. Corn in some sections was broken and fruit also suffered to a small extent, being blown from the cived, and from the Claggett Saddle-tree work and from the Claggett Saddle-tree work and in the last few of the State about \$1,400 per month, while the expenses are about \$5,500. Previous to the closing of the Bromwell Brush and Wire Goods Company's contract they paid to the \$11,500 Elwood city bonds held by forger Lewis, of Ohio. The bonds were municipal improvement bonds of the issue of Dec. 1, 1801, and were signed by City ber of convicts in the penitentiary has interested by about 180 in the last few The signatures were all genunine.

A BIT OF GOOD ADVICE

You've often heard it said that "Nothing succeeds like success," and a great many people believe it. But there is another saying just as trite, but more true, and it is this, "I nat nothing so demoralizes as demoralization itself;" and this enforces what we want to say: that when one's liver is demoralized, sluggish or diseased, then the whole body is out of gear-sick all overand everything goes wrong; nothing goes right. And one may be sure no success will follow efforts in any direction. There is a lack of energy and perseverance of effort, although the purpose to do may be ever so determined. This condition of body and mind is often attributed to malaria in the system, but the truth is that the liver is torpid, and the whole system is sluggish, At such times many people take quining which is strongly tonic, but the cause still remains and continues its misclef. But remains and continues its miscief. But when you take a liver remedy like Simmons Liver Regulator, "The King of Liver Medicines." you not only make the liver active and remove the cause of depression and sickness, but tone up and strengthen the whole system. Try it once and note the effect. The great mass of people would be much better off if they would take an occasional dose of Simmons Liver Regulator than all the tonics put together. It is the best life insurance policy one could invest in. It is reliable, and the benefits are great. Just read a few lines below this black cut and see what good things are said by some who have tried Simmons Liver Regulator:



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